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KATSUYUKI NAITO ET AL.

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In response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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